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Severe weather warnings on the web site

The Met Office launched its new-look web site in November 2006. Since then, we have received a lot of feedback on many aspects of the design. The most common issues mentioned were:

- the colours we had chosen to use on the radar images
- the new navigation
- technical aspects, like use of JavaScript etc.
- the display of severe weather warnings

Most of the feedback was positive. The majority of respondents liked the fresher look and additional information on the weather pages. Where comments were negative, we have assessed the issue and made changes where we can. The one issue that we have recently been working on is the display of severe weather warnings. Further work has now been completed that enables us to change the way this service is presented on the web.

From now on, you will see warnings presented in a simpler, more easily understood style that better inform users of severe weather warnings in the UK.

Guide to warnings

UK warnings of severe weather

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